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This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

## **Listing of Claims**

- 1. (Currently Amended) A chain of reclosable package packages having one unsealed side edge comprising a zipper closure and a slider device, said packaging formed by:
  - (a) providing a closure construction having a first closure profile and a second closure profile, the closure construction having a length approximately equal to the package width;
  - (b) providing a slider device constructed and arranged for mounting on the closure construction and for interlocking the first closure profile with the second closure profile when the slider device is moved in a first direction, and for disengaging the first closure profile from the second closure profile when the slider device is moved in a second opposite direction;
    - (c) mounting the slider device onto the closure construction;
  - (d) attaching the closure construction with the slider device mounted thereon to a first film half of a film-wcb, wherein the slider device is disposed transverse on said web and runs substantially between the center line of said web and one edge of said web;
  - (c) folding the web to form a second film half of substantially equal dimension to the first film half, characterized in that it forms also a folded first side edge, an open second side edge, and enfolds said slider device;
  - (f) attaching the closure construction with the slider device mounted thereon to a second half of the film web; and
  - (g) (f) forming a first side edge, a bottom edge[[,]] and a top edge [[;]] by transverse sealing said first and second film halves together
    - (g) filling the rescalabel package with an item; and

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## (h) forming a second side edge.

- 2. (Currently Amended) The reclosable package according to claim 1, the package formed by a process further comprising a step of providing a fill within said package through said open side edge followed by a step of sealing said open side edge and which includes a step of severing said chain between adjacent package said bottom and top edge scals to form individual packages, wherein said severing step can occur before or after said filling and open side sealing steps:
  - (a) first and second side panel sections, the first and second-side panel
    sections having first and second side edges and a bottom edge, the side
    edges and bottom edge defining an interior; and
  - (b) a zipper closure construction having a slider-device mounted thereon sealed to the first and second side panel-sections along a top edge of the side panel sections.
- 3. (Original) The reclosable package according to claim 2, further comprising a tamper-evident structure extending from the first and second side panel sections and disposed over the slider device.